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Interoperability Test Panel, Chairman

16 October 2003

MEMORANDUM FOR ARMY NATIONAL GUARD, MARYLAND
ATTN: MAJOR DASHIELL

SUBJECT: Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO)

Reference: CJCSI 6212.01B, Interoperability and Supportability of National
Security Systems, and Information Technology Systems

1. In accordance with the authority provided by the reference, the Interoperability Test Panel (ITP) has reviewed and concurs with your request for an Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO) with respect to the Nortel Networks Meridian 1, Option 81C Version 25.30 PBX switch. The concurrence is based upon consideration of the risk to the DSN, and the current operational requirement to increase the level of DSN support to the Maryland Army National Guard.
2. The ITP Chairman concurs with the recommendations of the Joint Interoperability Test Command (JITC) and the ITP members, and grants an ICTO for use of the Nortel Networks Meridian 1, Option 81C PBX switch at the Army National Guard Reisterstown, Maryland. This ICTO is effective beginning 16 October 2003 and expires on 31 December 2004.
3. This ICTO is subject to the following conditions:
 - a. The Maryland Army National Guard continues to work to replace this switch with the certified version (V25.47).
 - b. If, at the end of this ICTO, the Version 25.30 switch has not been replaced with a certified version, it will be considered a candidate for disconnect from DSN.
4. The JITC point of contact is Mr. Joe Peeples, DSN 354-2802, Commercial (301) 744-2802, Fax (301) 744-2688 or email address: joe.peeples@ncr.disa.mil.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. Morrow Jr.", is positioned above the typed name.

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Acting Chairman, ITP